Docket No.

271767US0PC

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Hiromi NAMBU, et al.

SERIAL NO:

10/534,753

GAU:

FILED:

May 13, 2005

EXAMINER:

EOR:

COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS

## **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.97**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Applicant(s) wish to disclose the following information.

#### REFERENCES

- The applicant(s) wish to make of record the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed references are attached, where required, as are either statements of relevancy or any readily available English translations of pertinent portions of any non-English language references.
- ☐ A check or credit card payment form is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

#### **RELATED CASES**

- Attached is a list of applicant's pending application(s), published application(s) or issued patent(s) which may be related to the present application. In accordance with the waiver of 37 CFR 1.98 dated September 21, 2004, copies of the cited pending applications are not provided. Cited published and/or issued patents, if any, are listed on the attached PTO form 1449.
- ☐ A check or credit card payment form is attached in the amount required under 37 CFR §1.17(p).

#### **CERTIFICATION**

- ☐ Each item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.
- □ No item of information contained in this information disclosure statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to the knowledge of the undersigned, having made reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement.

### DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Please charge any additional fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit account number <u>15-0030</u>. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Norman F. Oblon

Registration No. 24,618

Corwin P. Umbach, Ph.D. Registration No. 40,211

Surinder Sachar

Registration No. 34,423

Customer Number

22850

Tel. (703) 413-3000 Fax. (703) 413-2220 (OSMMN 05/03)

		AUG 0 9 2005	3011 30		•	SHE	ET 1	OF	1	
Form PTO 1449 (Modified)		PATENT AND TRA	T OF COMMERCE ADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY DOCKET NO.			SERIAL NO.		
					271767US0PCT			10/534,753		
UST OF	DEFFI	RENCES CITED BY AI	PPI ICANT	APPLICANT						
LIO, 0.	IXL:	VEHOLO SITES S	11 2107	Hiromi NAMBU, et al.	GROUP					
				FILING DATE May 13, 2005	GROOM			ľ		
<del></del>			<del></del>	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS		1				
EXAMINER		DOCUMENT			T	SUB	FILI	ING DATE		
INITIAL	l'	NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	CLASS		PROPRIA		
	AA	2003/0065087	04/03/03	NAMBU et al.						
	AB									
	AC									
	AD									
	AE									
	AF									
	AG									
	АН									
	AI					<u> </u> !				
	AJ					!				
	AK					<u> </u>	ļ			
	AL	ļ				ļ!				
	AM					ļ!				
	AN	1		1						
			FO	DREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY		TRANSLATION YES NO				
	AO	52-99236	08/19/77	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AP	3-284617	12/16/91	JP (with English abstract)	JP (with English abstract)			NO		
	AQ	2002-114849	04/16/02	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AR	6-1711	01/11/94	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AS	5-112424	05/07/93	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AT	11-181003	07/06/99	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AU	61-211305	09/19/86	JP (with English abstract)				NO		
	AV									
		OTHER F	REFERENCES	(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertine	nt Pages, e	tc.)		<del></del>		
	AW									
	AX									
	AY									
	AZ			Additional References sheet(s) attached						
Examiner	Examiner Date Considered									
	itial if r	rofarence is considerer	d whether or no	ot citation is in conformance with MPEP			citation if	not in		
conformance	and no	ot considered. Include	copy of this form	n with next communication to applicant.	000, 51411 11	no unough	· Oracion ii	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		



U.S. PCT Application Serial No.: 10/534,753 Docket No.: <u>271767US0PCT</u>

## STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

1) References have been cited in the International Search Report. Copies of these references are being submitted herewith only when not automatically provided by the International Searching Authority.									
	References have been cited in the corresponding Search Report. copy of these references is being submitted herewith.								
	References AO-AU are discussed in the specification. A copy of these ferences is being submitted here with.								
	References are additional prior art known to Applicant. A copy of								

# **LIST OF RELATED CASES**

Docket Number	Serial or Patent Number	Filing or  Issue Date	Patent Appl.  Publication No.	Inventor/ Applicant
271767US0PCT*	10/534,753	05/13/05		NAMBU, et al.
271771US0PCT	10/534,524	05/11/05		KITO, et al.
222660US0	10/137,405	05/03/02	US2003/0065087 A1	NAMBU, et al.

<sup>\*</sup>Present Application; listed for information NFO/kch